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Petersbourg, December 19.

Yesterday being her Majesty's Birth-day, who entered into the 33d Year, the same was celebrated at Court. She dined on her Throne in the great Hall, where there were two large Tables in the Figure of a great E, turning their Backs to each other, the Ladies on the Right, and the Gentlemen on the Left. The foreign Ministers were invited to the Great Chancellor Prince Cherkassky's. At Night there was a Ball, Illuminations all over the Town, and a very fine Firework before the Palace. The Persian Ambassador was there. Her Majesty has declared M. Lestoc her Body Physician, with a Pension of 7000 Roubles a Year, and the Character of actual Privy Counsellor, which gives him the Rank of a General in Chief. He is to have the Direction of the Medicine College, though without the Title of Archiater. Her Majesty also gave him her Picture, set in Jewels to the Value of 20000 Roubles, which he wore about his Neck with a blue Ribbon. The Princess of Hesse Hombourg appeared also for the first Time, with a Diamond Star of the Order of St. Catherine, which her Majesty had given her. Her Majesty's six Chambellans had also their Gold Keys on, more are making, some of which are actually ready, but not disposed of. The old Felt Marshal Dolgoruki, since the printing of the Ordonnance relating to the Senate, has been declared a Senator, restored to his former Rank, and made President of the College of War. The Night before last her Majesty declared the 141 Grenadiers, with an Addition of others to complete them 300, her Life Company; the private Men are all to have the Rank of Lieutenants, the Corporals and Serjeants of Captains and Majors, and the fix who had the greatest Share in the late Affair, Lieutenant Colonels; the Officers are not yet appointed, but the Ensign is to have the Rank of a Brigadier, the two second Lieutenants of Major Generals, and the first Lieutenant of a Lieutenant General. They are to be quartered in Houses her Majesty has bought for that Purpose just by the Palace; she herself is to be Captain, and has ordered her Grenadier's Cap and Amazon Dress to be made to appear at their Head, when their Uniform is ready; which is to be, the Coat of plain green Cloth, the Cuffs the same, and red Waistcoats, both as good as the Officers now have. The under Officers have a double Lace of

Gold on the Sleeve. Since the Chevalier Crepy brought the News of Count Lowenhaupt's being retired to Frederickshaven, the Idea prevails of an approaching Peace, and Orders have been sent to the Cossacks to make no more Irruptions into Nyslot, and the Expedition of the Hussars into East Bothnie has been countermanded.

The following is a Translation of a new Regulation published by the Czarina.

By the Grace of God We Elizabeth the First, Empress and Sovereign of all Russia, &c. &c. &c. do hereby publish,

UPON our happy Accession to our Imperial Hereditary Throne of all Russia, we have observed that the Method of dispatching the Affairs of the Country are quite upon another Foot than in the Time of our Father the Emperor Peter the First of glorious and immortal Memory, and the first Year's Reign of our Mother the Empress Catharine Alexievna; but after this some People out of particular Views, set aside the Method left them by our Parents, and instead of that erected a high Privy Council which continued to the Death of Peter the Second; and although in the first Year of the Reign of the Empress Anna Ivanovna they renewed the Measures of Peter the Great in their conducting the Inland Affairs, yet in the Second Year of her Reign that was altered and a Cabinet appointed upon the same footing as the high Council, only having the Name changed; from which proceeded many Hindrances and Delays to all Sorts of Business in general, and Justice was very weakly administered, as the Senate have more at large represented to us in a Writing dated the 3d Instant. Wherefore we have ordered to remedy the former irregular Proceedings that the Inland Affairs be put upon the following footing. Our Senate shall be invested with the same Power as it had formerly in the Dispatch of Inland Business in the Manner appointed by our Father Peter the Great, by his Ordonnances now lying in the Senate, dated Jan. 12, Feb. 5, April 4, 6, 11, and 27, May 18, June 6, 1722 and 1723, Nov. 3 and 6, 1724, Jan. 20, 22, and 31, which are to be seen upon the Table of the Senate and other inferior Courts of Justice, together with the rest of his Majesty's Ordonnances not mentioned here. And we order all his Majesty's Ordonnances and Regulations to be most strictly observed, and that without the least Alteration: They shall be closely adhered to by all our Colleges, Courts



of Justice, Ecclesiastical and Civil Chancellarys, Cantors, and in all the different Governments and Provinces whatever, and other former Ordonnances and Statutes of our Grandfather Czar Alexey Michaelovitz, excepting such as were made on particular Occasions in those Times and cease of Course, all those Ordonnances subsisting at the Death of Peter the Great, and in the Reign of the Empress Catharina our Mother, and also those made since that Time by the several Possessors of the Russian Throne, shall all have their Force, excepting such as clash with the present Establishment, or are against the Interest of the Nation, of which a List shall be made out, and the Reasons for abolishing them declared:

We order the following Persons for Senators.

1. Knaz Ivan Trubetzkoy, Felt Marshal.
2. Knaz Alexey Cherkaskoy, Great Chancellor.
3. Count Simon Sulikoff, General and Lord High Steward.
4. Grigory Chernishof, General.
5. Andrea Ushakof, General.
6. Nicol Golowin, Count and Admiral.
7. Knaz Alex. Kurackin, Master of Horse.

Actual Privy Counsellors.

Alexey Bestuchef Rumin.

Alexander Narishkin.

Lieutenant Generals.

Knaz Michael Golitzin.

Knaz Grigory Urusloff.

Ivan Backmetoff.

Vasily Novoseltzof, Privy Counsellor.

Knaz Alexey Golitzin, actual States Counsellor. One of these always to be in the Cantoir of the Senate.

The General Procureur and actual Privy Counsellor Knaz Nikila Trubetzkoy, and the Ober Procureur and Chamberlain Ivan Brilkin are to be upon the Duty as appointed by our Father Peter the Great and in all Colleges, Chancerys and Cantors, as well in our City of Residence as also in the Provinces we appoint Procureurs where they have been formerly. The List of such Procureurs to be laid before us, and they themselves, if on the Place, shall appear before us.

For the Dispatch of our foreign Affairs we appoint the Chancellor Knaz Alexey Cherkaskoy and the Actual Privy Counsellor Alexey Bestuchef Rumin, whom we have appointed Vice Chancellor, and the Privy Counsellor Von Brevern is to do his Duty as formerly in Dispatch of the said Affairs and in Cases of great Emergency; and on such Occasions we appoint Count Golowin and Naze Kurackin to be called in and to communicate to us their joint Opinions for our Approbation.

Both the Senate and the Ministers for Foreign Affairs are to have Apartments in our Palace, where we will be present ourself when there is Occasion.

The former Cabinet is to be laid aside, and instead of that there is to be a Cabinet with the same Power as that in the Time of our Father Peter the First, wherein we place our Actual Counsellor of State.

Signed by her Imperial Majesty the 12th, and printed the 13th of December 1741.

Wels in Upper Austria, Jan. 5, N. S. The Austrian Army passed the Ens the 30th and 31st past, in three different Places, viz. The Body commanded by M. de Mercy at Lorstein, that by Marshal Khevenhuller at Dorff, and that by Count Palsy at Ens, without any other Loss than of 13 Hussars drown'd, and four Carabineers, one Officer and one Hussar killed by the Enemy, who had the same Days above 150 Men cut to Pieces by our Hussars, and the greatest Part of the Regiment of Touraine. The Towns of Steyr, Ens, Teremberg, Wembach, Sorindling, Crems-Munster, Saltz, Cammergut and Ebersberg, have been either taken from the Enemy, or abandoned by them. We have already above 1500 Prisoners, the chief Part French, whom we send into Stiria. There are besides many of the Enemies Officers wounded, and others set at Liberty upon their Parole. All those that remain of their different Corps have shut themselves up in Lintz, where they are without Provisions. The Marshal has summoned them to surrender, declaring to them that they were to expect no Quarter in case of Refusal.

Vienna, Jan. 6. His Royal Highness the Great Duke returned to this Place on the 3d Instant from the Army at Budeweis, which is cantoned, there, and in the Neighbourhood; as the Enemy is, at, and about Piseck. Prince Lobcowitz is retired from Teutschbrod to Iglau, and a Body of French and Saxons has found Means to advance as far as Polna, upon the Borders of Moravia. About 6000 Hungarians passed Presburg Yesterday in their Way to Moravia.

Vienna, Jan. 11, N. S. While Marshal Khevenhuller was preparing for the Attack of Lintz, Baron Berenclau, with 700 Foot and 300 Hussars, surprised Reidt and Sherding, two Towns upon the Territories of the Elector of Bavaria. In the first two Troops of Dragoons and 400 of the Militia laid down their Arms; in the latter the Burghers opened one of the Gates to the Hussars, while the Regiment of Dragoons of Pristaki was retiring out of the other Gate towards the River Inn, so that the Hussars were Time enough to kill 450 of them. In both these Places were found no inconsiderable Magazines; and the Hussars are already dispersing themselves in Bavaria on the West Side of the Inn. Marshal Khevenhuller proposes to attack as this Day the French and Bavarians who are surrounded at Lintz, to the Number of 5 or 6000, with 13 General Officers. Marshal Khevenhuller is supposed to have taken or killed already above 2000 of the Enemy at the several Attacks of Steyr, Ens, Mathausen, Gmunten, Wels, Efferding, Reidt, and Sherding. There is nothing particular from the Army under the Command of Prince Charles at Budeweis. The Great Duke is expected back as this Day from Gratz, whither his Royal Highness had taken a Tour to wait upon the Empress Mother.

Berlin, Jan. 9. There are three young Princes of Wirtemberg here, two of which are to have Regiments on Condition that they raise them in their own Country; the third is to have a Prussian Regiment. On the 6th Prince William was married to the Duke of Brunswick's Sister. The King of Prussia has been very much out of Order ever since, and Yesterday he kept

his Bed with the Cholick; but to Day he is somewhat better. Last Night died here Baron Brackel, the Russian Minister, of a lingering Fever.

Berlin, Jan. 13, N. S. The King of Prussia is gone this Morning to Potsdam. On Wednesday the Queen meets him at Charlottenburg, and from thence their Majesties go to Rhinsberg, where he is to stay three Weeks; after which his Majesty returns to this Place, where he will stay but a few Days before he sets out for Dresden.

Brussels, Jan. 14. They go on briskly and successfully here with the raising of Men for the additional Battallion to the three national Regiments. Those for the Dragoons are left for the last. They also beat up for a Regiment of Foot for Prince Charles of Lorraine, whose Cloathing is White with pale Green Cuffs, and Cockades of the same Colour. Two Days ago marched out of this Place, one Battallion of Los Rios to Mons: They have been relieved by one of Prie's out of Flanders. They say the King of Spain has desired the Pope not to grant Bulls for the two Bishopricks vacant in these Countries, for a While, on Account of the Changes that may happen.

Hambourg, Jan. 16. The Duke of Holstein set out from Kiel on the 13th Instant at Two in the Morning, accompanied by his Governor M. Brummer, the Marshal of his Court M. Birkholtz, and his Physician M. Stuyve. His Departure is not yet generally known at Kiel; the Duke Administration keeping his secret as such, and it being given out that the young Duke is indisposed. But it is certain that his Highness is gone for Petersbourg.

Whitehall, January 16. The King has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Charles Compton, Esq; to be Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary at the Court of Portugal, in the room of the Right Honourable the Lord Tyravly, who desired to be recalled; and Abraham Cattee, Esq; to be his Majesty's Consul General in Portugal, in the room of the said Charles Compton.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Thomas Marlay, Esq; to be Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench in Ireland, in the room of John Rogerion, Esq; deceased; and John Bowes, Esq; to be Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer, in the room of the said Thomas Marlay; and Arthur Dawson, Esq; to be one of the Barons of the said Court, in the room of Sir John St. Leger, Knt; and St. George Caulfield, Esq; Attorney General, in the room of the said John Bowes; and Warden Flood, Esq; Solicitor General, in the room of the said St. George Caulfield; and to grant unto Theophilus Brocas, Clerk, and Master of Arts, the Place and Dignity of Dean of the Cathedral Church of St. Patrick at Killala; in the Diocese of Killala, vacant by the Death of Dr. Peter Maturin.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation, hereby give Notice, That whereas this Corporation was amongst other Things created for the better securing His Majesty's Subjects from Loss or

Damage by Fire, They think it their indispensable Duty to inform the Publick of the dangerous and illegal Practices which they have discovered to be too frequently used, by lodging and keeping large Quantities of Gunpowder under one Roof, by the Traders in that Commodity, the Consequences of which may prove very fatal to themselves and all their Neighbourhood, not only from the Damages that may attend the Explosion should it happen to blow up, but from the Firemen and other necessary steps deserting such Fires as may happen in or near the Places where such large Quantities of Gunpowder are lodged, and to endeavour, to the utmost of their Power, by all legal Means, to prevent the like evil Practices in future, they are determined to spare neither Trouble or Charge in the Prosecution of such Persons as shall transgress the Laws in that Behalf made, of which all the Dealers in that Commodity are desired to take Notice, for whose farther Satisfaction, and to prevent Surprize, as the said Directors only View is to prevent so great and dangerous an Evil, they here insert the penal Part of the Statute of the 11th of George I. c. 23. whereby it is enacted, That from and after the first Day of June, 1729, it shall not be lawful to have or keep within the Limits aforesaid (that is to say) the Cities of London and Westminster, the Suburbs thereof, or within three Miles of the Tower of London, or of the Palace of St. James, more than Two Hundred Pounds of Gunpowder, at any Times, in any House, Storehouse, Warehouse, Shop, Collar, or other Place under one and the same Roof, or in any Yard or Yards within the Limits aforesaid, for more than the Space of Twenty-four Hours, upon Pain of forfeiting all such Gunpowder, and the Value thereof, with full Costs. And the Court of Directors make no Doubt but that they shall be assisted in this good Work by such Persons as have it in their Power to do so, by convicting such illegal Quantities of Gunpowder are lodged, which may be done in a private manner, to their Secretary, by whom they shall be assisted in the Prosecution of such Persons from the Court of Directors, upon Conviction, and a reasonable Compensation for any Discovery, and their Names not made use of in the Prosecution.

Whitehall, January 16. The Secretary of State, Mr. A. G. Sec. State.

Advertisements. Lately published, in Obedience, Price Six Shillings. A New Geographical Dictionary, containing a true Description of the Countries, Empires, Kingdoms, Provinces, Cities, Towns, Mountains, Rivers, Lakes, Gulphs, Sands, Isles, Bays, Capes, &c. of the World. With the Distances of the Cities and Towns, &c. from the most considerable Place in each Country; as also a more particular Description of the Course of the principal Rivers of most Countries in the World, than has been given in any Book of this Kind in the English Language. To which is added the Latitude and Longitude of the most considerable Cities, Towns, &c. of the World. Printed for D. Midwinter, at the Three Crowns in St. Paul's Church Yard.

THE Creditors of Sarah and Constantine Crobrow, of the City of Bath, Dealers in China Ware, &c. who do not reside in or about London, are desired to attend at the House of Robert White, known by the Sign of the White Lyon Inn, Bath, the 2d and 3d Days of February next, to prove their respective Debts upon Oath, in order that a Dividend of the Produce of the Estate and Effects of the said Sarah and Constantine Crobrow may be soon after made.

THE Creditors of Simson Levy, of Seething Lane, London, Merchant, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, at the New England Coffee House behind the Exchange, on Wednesday the 27th Instant, at Five in the Afternoon, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees defending or bringing one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate, or to their submitting to Arbitration any Differences and Disputes relating thereto, or otherwise to compound or agree the same, and on other Affairs.

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